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## McAllister Appoints New Deputy Treasurer Lisa Marie Harris from State Treasurer's Office

San Diego County Treasurer-Tax Collector Dan McAllister announced today the appointment of Lisa Marie Harris as Deputy Treasurer for the County. In her new post, Harris will work closely with McAllister to coordinate all activities of the Treasury Department. She will have significant responsibility for formulating policy and coordinating the investments of the County's \$5 billion investment pool. Additionally, Harris will oversee administration of the County's cash management program, which includes banking relationships, cashiering and payment processing.

"Lisa Marie Harris is an exceptional person and I am proud that we were able to add her to our team in the Treasurer's Office. She brings a wealth of knowledge and experience to her new position and I believe she will help us take our quality customer services to a new level," McAllister said.

Ms. Harris has over 14 years of finance and investment experience, working mostly with public organizations. Most recently, she worked the past four years in the State Treasurer's Office, where she served as Executive Director of the California Debt and Advisory Commission (CDIAC). In her position she developed and presented funding strategies throughout California utilizing debt and investment financial instruments available through the State Treasurer's Office. Prior to CDIAC, Ms. Harris managed the \$4 billion debt portfolio, investment of debt proceeds and the \$500 million operating budget of the San Francisco International Airport.

"I have every confidence that the addition of Lisa Marie Harris to my team will help further my goals of providing consistently high quality service to the taxpayers of San Diego County. Lisa Marie has a superb background for the work we do in the Treasurer's Office and I know her leadership skills, her optimism and professionalism will enhance our capabilities in many ways," McAllister added.

Lisa Marie Harris holds a Masters degree of Public Policy from the University of Michigan and a Bachelor of Arts degree in Economics from the University of California, Berkeley.

The San Diego Treasurer-Tax Collector's Office provides investment, banking and other financial services for the County and collects all property taxes. The office manages the \$5 billion investment pool for the County and collects more than \$3 billion in property taxes annually.